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FLOOD WATERS GRADUALLY RECEDING AND CONDITION IN COUNTY IMPROVING

RAILROAD AND TRACTION COMPANIES BEGIN REPAIRING ROAD-BEDS BUT WORK IS HAMPERED BY HIGH WATER—MILES OF TRACK WASHED AWAY.

COLD WAVE CHECKS DOWNPOUR

Loss to Property Will Amount to Thousands of Dollars—Many Head of Stock Carried Down by Swift Current—Communication to Medora is Still Cut Off—Bridges Swept Away.

The flood situation in this city is improving. The high waters are gradually receding and are over three and a half feet lower than when the highest stage was recorded. It is not expected now that the second rise, if one should come, will be of serious consequence here unless the volume of water coming from the feed streams should be much larger than reported. As the river now covers a wide territory it would take an enormous volume of water to cause a rise in the main channel of the river. Traffic is gradually being resumed, although it will be more than a week before Seymour has its usual train services in all directions. The I. & L. Traction Line expected to reach Louisville today and the B. & O. has train service to Louisville by the way of North Vernon.

Although the total damage cannot be estimated at this time, the loss to property will amount to thousands of dollars. Many head of horses and cattle have been drowned and their bodies are seen floating down the river. Hay and straw stacks have been swept away and the farms in the low lands have suffered heavily.

Many of the passengers who were marooned here since the beginning of the flood were able to reach Louisville Wednesday afternoon. Considerable track on the Pennsylvania Line is out between Seymour and Indianapolis and it may be a week or even longer before traffic is restored between Indianapolis and Louisville on this road. The railroads are employing all the men available to work on the track.

All the telephone and telegraph lines between this city and Medora are still down and the extent of the fire there Tuesday night cannot be learned. A man from Vallonia expected to go to Medora in a boat today but was unable to do so on account of the swift current and because of the high waves which were caused by the stiff breeze. It is known that the town was suffering from high water Tuesday afternoon but conditions were relieved by dynamiting the high embankment of the B. & O. S-W. so that the water could escape. Dynamiting could be heard plainly for several miles around Medora. Medora suffered somewhat from the high water but there is little danger there as the flood is receding.

It is reported that the water was almost to the Treaty Elm at Vallonia and that several families living near the edge of the village were compelled to move to safety.

No mail has been received in Seymour since the flood but a few pouches were dispatched on No. 8 to Louisville Wednesday afternoon. The rural mail carriers are taking care of the local mail but a number of them are unable to complete their routes.

The work of repairing the roadbed on the Pennsylvania Line between this city and Crothersville was started this morning. The work train arrived here from Louisville Tuesday afternoon, having been ordered north, but was unable to continue the trip because of the flood. The train has been here since that time and consequently much of the repairing will be done from Seymour. There is a large demand for section men and laborers and every available man is being employed to work on the road.

The work train left here this morning and went to Langdon and Retreat where the worst damage was done south of Seymour. The track was not washed away as first reported but most of the ballast is gone and the road is soft. In several places the dirt has been washed from under the ties by the swift current constantly beating and surging against it.

Assistant Superintendent of Road Construction Shaw was along the Pennsylvania track between Jonesville and Rockford in a boat Wednesday afternoon. He found that the road bed was in a fearful condition and that about one mile of track beginning north of the Rockford bridge has been carried away. A short distance from the bridge the rails are under water and many of them are twisted and bent. One rail was completely torn from the ties and was carried to a field close by and one end may be seen above the water.

Employees of the Indianapolis, Columbus & Southern Traction line took a car a short distance north this morning. There is, of course, no power on that road, but sufficient current was secured from the I. & L. line to carry a car a few miles north of the city.

The car could not run further than Reddington, but even this short trip was sufficient to confirm the grave fears that long stretches of the track had been washed away and the road bed greatly damaged. Practically all of the track from the bottom of the Reddington hill to Sand Creek is gone, and while the bridge crossing Sand Creek could not be seen, it is believed that it is still standing. Many small culverts have been dashed into splinters and carried away by the flood waters.

The telephone wires on the I. C. & S. went down early Tuesday morning and there has been absolutely no communication with other points along the line since that time. The wires in many places are broken and grounded in the water and it will require several days to repair the telephone lines.

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TWELVE MAROONED ON BRIDGE

Twelve bridge men employed on the C. T. H. & S-E. Railroad, who were marooned for more than forty-eight hours on the bridge near Cortland, were able to reach this city this morning. An engine and caboose started to Seymour Tuesday morning and the water became so high that it was considered unsafe to continue the trip. The engine and caboose were stopped on the bridge. Meals were furnished the stranded men by Frances Crane who lives near the bridge.

Two of the men waded water above their waists and reached the city this morning. The other ten were able to walk in this afternoon and have living quarters in the work train, which is stationed just west of the city. The men had some thrilling experiences to relate of how the water foamed and surged about the bridge and at times it seemed that it would be undermined.

They report that the Bell's Ford bridge which is near the railroad bridge has been damaged but is still standing.

Among the bridge men marooned were: H. E. Walker, foreman, Ralph Horning, James Wrench, Arlie Davis, William Sheridan, William Neff, Engineer Cannon and Leo Standiford, fireman.

The water dashed over the rails and had begun to wash the ballast when it started to recede.

HARD FIGHT WITH SWIFT CURRENT

John Rapp and John Finley Return Home Safely After Narrow Escape on The River.

UNABLE TO CONTROL THE BOAT

J. B. Thompson and Son, Holmes, Also Arrive Home After Absence Since Tuesday Morning.

After battling with the fierce current on the swollen river for several hours, John Rapp and John Findley, who disappeared Wednesday morning when they started down White River in a small boat on a short trip, returned home safely this morning. The men had a fearful experience and several times had narrow escapes from being pitched into the foaming waves. Wednesday morning the men went in boats to Peter's Switch to rescue a family who were unable to leave their home on account of the high water and after they arrived at Rockford they decided to tie their boat near the power house. They had only about a block and a half to row and it was supposed that they would soon be home. When noon came, however, and they failed to appear, their relatives and friends became alarmed and search was started but the men could not be found. It was feared that they had been caught in the current and had probably drowned when the boat overturned.

This morning about 10:30 o'clock Mr. Rapp and Mr. Findley arrived at Rockford after trying experiences. When they reached Rockford Wednesday morning, their boat was caught in the swift current and for hours they tried to guide it to the back waters but were unable to change the direction in which the canoe had started. They were carried only about a mile down the stream but did not get control of their boat until about three o'clock in the afternoon. The current carried them to some timber land, which was overgrown, and here the water was very rapid. Several times their boat swayed from side to side and their safe arrival is doubtless due to their experience on the river. Their hands were blistered in trying to row against

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WALKED TEN MILES

Harvey W. Godfrey, of Columbus, Has Experience While Duck Hunting.

Harvey W. Godfrey, of Columbus, well known in this city where he was engaged in the monument business for many years, is here waiting for the first train to his home. He left Columbus Monday morning on a duck hunting expedition and since that time has had some experiences which come only during flood times.

Mr. Godfrey reached Sparksville and when he learned that train service had been discontinued he walked to Medora where he expected to hire a liveryman to bring him to this city. When he reached Medora he was informed that the roads were flooded and that it would be impossible to drive him here. The people there urged him to remain, but contrary to their admonitions he walked from Medora to Vallonia. There he secured a bug and came to Seymour.

He is congratulating himself that he was successful in reaching Seymour, especially after he learned that Medora was the scene of a disastrous fire. In many places along the railroad track, he said, the water was rushing up between the ties and the road bed was in a bad condition. While here Mr. Godfrey is the guest of W. L. Kasting.

SECTION MAN INJURED

Struck by a Pole While Working With Crew Near Holton.

A Bulgarian, known to local railroad men as George, was badly injured Tuesday evening. He was working on a track near Holton, when a pole rolled on him. His right leg was broken and he was severely injured internally.

The injured man was brought to this city Wednesday and taken to the Schneck Memorial Hospital. His injuries are regarded as serious. No one here knows his last name and is called "George" by his fellow workmen.

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FIERCE FIRE RAGING AT DAYTON, O. ADDS HORROR TO FLOOD SITUATION

EIGHTEEN BLOCKS IN THE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS PART OF THE CITY HAVE BEEN WIPED OUT BY FLAMES—LOSS ESTIMATED AT FIVE MILLION DOLLARS.

RESERVOIR AT ST. MARYS BREAKS

Fifteen Miles Long and Three Miles Wide—Warning Sent to Fort Wayne and Decatur, Ind.—Ohio River in Rampage and Expected it Will Reach High Water Mark—People Moving to Safety.

(Special to Seymour Republican)

Dayton, Ohio, March 27.—The conflagration, which is still raging in this city, adds horror to the suffering of the flood victims. Eighteen blocks of the principal business streets of the city have been destroyed. The fire started Tuesday afternoon and spread from building to building leaving only burnt timber and ashes in its path. The death toll has been increased slightly since the fire started.

The total loss is estimated at more than \$5,000,000. The water works company has been unable to give adequate fire protection since the flood and it was with great difficulty that the flames could be checked. An effort has been made to send dynamite here to be used in blowing up building in the path of the fire, so that the flames might be checked.

Dayton today is a city of the dead, the dying, the homeless and the grief-stricken.

Its tragic story will not be known until the last dead baby has been taken from the flood that covers half the city and the last charred body from the ruins of the fire that is spreading unchecked through the southern section of the city.

The whole story never will be told—the heroism of men, the martyrdom of women, the mad hysteria that seized some and caused them to jump into the flood and death; the torture of despair that gripped those who, imprisoned in their homes by the water, waited in vain for help until the advancing flames came and destroyed them.

A man marooned with his family on the roof of his home shot and killed his wife and three children and then himself rather than to suffer death in the flames, according to a report received by J. J. Munsell, Employment Superintendent of the National Cash Register Co., from a man who said he saw the occurrence. The bodies floated away.

In the Dayton disaster there is duplicated the heroism and the martyrdom of the steamer Titanic, the horror of Johnstown and the helplessness of San Francisco after the earthquake.

There may be a hundred dead or a thousand. The census of the dead cannot be taken until the water recedes and leaves its prey behind.

Families are separated. Fathers who went to work yesterday morning believing that such a thing could not happen to Dayton are haunting the refuge places and the hospitals hunting their beloved. They are separated from their homes by a mile of swiftly moving water that cannot be crossed.

A big, sturdy man is crying like a child at the offices of the National Cash Register Co., where nearly 2000 homeless flood victims are sheltered. He has been to the hospitals, the schools where refugees are housed and to the churches, but at none of these is his family. The money loss is heavy, but nobody cares about money loss, though it runs into millions.

All telephone communication has been cut off, and none beyond the flood zone knows what disaster has overtaken that part of Dayton which was the center of its enormous wealth. There was nothing but the sullen glare of the flames from many homes set afire by gas explosions and other accidents last night to light up the tragedy and its mysteries.

After a night of terror that part of Dayton which had homes to sleep in woke to a day of heartbreaks.

The flames last night showed men and women and children perched on the roofs of houses in the path of the flames waiting helplessly for the flames to devour them.

The municipal government of Dayton is, to all intents and purposes, lost. Mayor Phillips has not been heard from since noon Tuesday. He is supposed to be marooned at the City Hall. The Police Department is invisible.

Marauders are invading deserted homes. Six of them were captured by civilians and locked up in a church yesterday.

Two companies of militia have been sent to Dayton from Springfield by Governor Cox.

They will shoot to kill all marauders. A public safety committee consisting of W. D. Huber, President of Council; E. W. Hanley, Maurice Hartnett and Harry Miller has been organized.

Big Reservoir Breaks.

(Special to Seymour Republican)

St. Marys, Ohio, March 27.—The big reservoir here, one of the largest in the United States, broke this morning and millions of gallons of water rushed through the embankments. The reservoir is fifteen miles long and three miles wide. The alarm was given by an employee who said that he had to run for his life and did not know just what damage had been done. This city of 6,000 inhabitants is below the reservoir and there is grave apprehension here today. Ft. Wayne and Decatur have been notified of the break as they are situated on the streams through which the great volume of water will rush.

Vandalia Bridge Out.

(Special to Seymour Republican)

Indianapolis, Ind., March 27.—The breaking of the Morris street levee

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Some Weather

The rude March winds are here, meet them with a real face cream, like Arbutus. Its use will soften the effects of the harsh cutting dust laden winds and give to milady's face that look of freshness so much desired.

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PATHETIC SCENES ENACTED AT OMAHA

City Is in Mourning While Funerals
Are Conducted Over Bodies
of Tornado Victims.

BLIZZARD CAUSES SUFFERING

Injured, Shivering and Half Frozen,
Taken from Wreckage of Their
Homes by Rescuers.

Omaha, Neb., March 27.—This is a day of mourning in Omaha. Scores of funerals were held over the bodies of the victims of the tornado and those who died from exposure in the blizzard which swept the city shortly after the cyclone had completed its course of death and destruction. Many pathetic scenes were enacted by children who lost their fathers and mothers and by parents who mourned the untimely death of their children.

Many of the funerals were held jointly; in some houses as high as six bodies lying in a room. Every member of a few families were killed. Others were left without a father or a mother. This sad condition is made worse as the surviving relatives return to their homes only to find them wrecked and heaped upon the ground.

The latest reports give the number of dead at 202, while 320 were injured. Others may have been slightly hurt, and their names not reported.

Rescuing parties have worked night and day among the wreckage recovering the bodies of the dead and wounded. The police department aided the police in taking the bodies of the victims from the piles of broken timber which were a few hours before their sheltering homes. Many injured were found pinioned beneath the heavy boards shivering and freezing from the blinding blizzard. The storm greatly hampered the work of the rescuers.

Privations of the storm sufferers are being increased by the heavy snow. Women tugging at heavy beams, hoping against hope to find the living bodies of dear ones beneath the tons of wreckage; men gruffly cheering their sorrowing mates, children wrapped about with shawls and blankets, were the scenes which greeted the Federal soldiers as they patrolled the afflicted district aiding in the rescue work and protecting the destroyed and unoccupied homes from conscienceless looters.

Later city officials gathered within the lines drawn around the district by the soldiers and distributed clothing and other necessities among the sufferers.

More than \$50,000 already has been subscribed for their relief, \$25,000 by the city commissioners and an equal amount by citizens.

The injured at hospitals are receiving the best possible attention. Physicians of Omaha and Council Bluffs have volunteered their services and trained nurses have willingly followed the example of the physicians.

Those patients who have shown improvement will be moved from the temporary hospitals to places which have been provided for them by the city officials. Most of them are homeless, losing their abodes in the same instance of receiving their injuries.

Many of the patients whose conditions are considered more or less critical have not been told of the complete loss which the tornado made of their property.

Practically all communication by telegraph has been cut off from Colorado to Iowa.

WANTS \$6,000 POSITION

Jonce Monihan, of Orleans, Wants
Application on Commission.

Jonce Monihan, of Orleans, formerly a Republican candidate for treasurer of state, is an active candidate for the Republican appointment on the public service commission. He has entered the fight through several of his Democratic friends at the statehouse, and, it is said, has sent in a formal application for the appointment.

State officials and heads of public institutions throughout the state are tumbling into the Taggart scheme to have Charles Murphy, of Brookston, Democratic chairman of the Tenth district, appointed to membership on the commission.

Many sufferers from rheumatism have been surprised and delighted with the prompt relief afforded by applying Chamberlain's liniment. Not one case of rheumatism in ten requires any internal treatment whatever. This liniment is for sale by all dealers.

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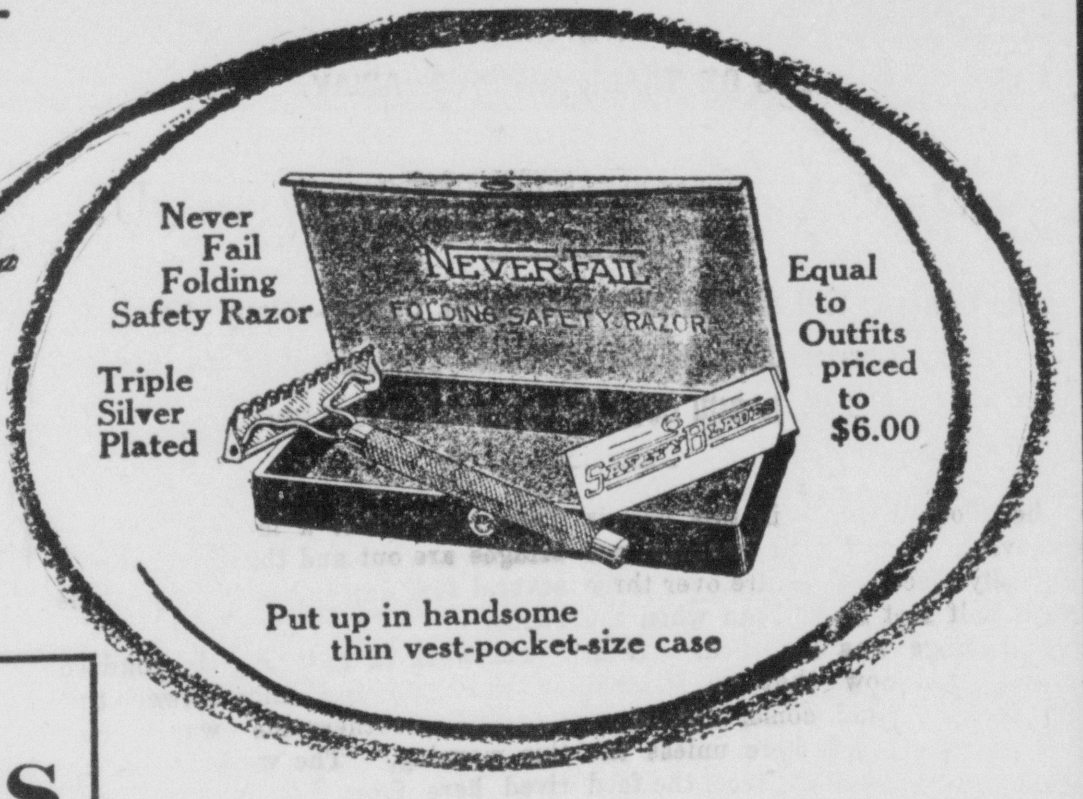
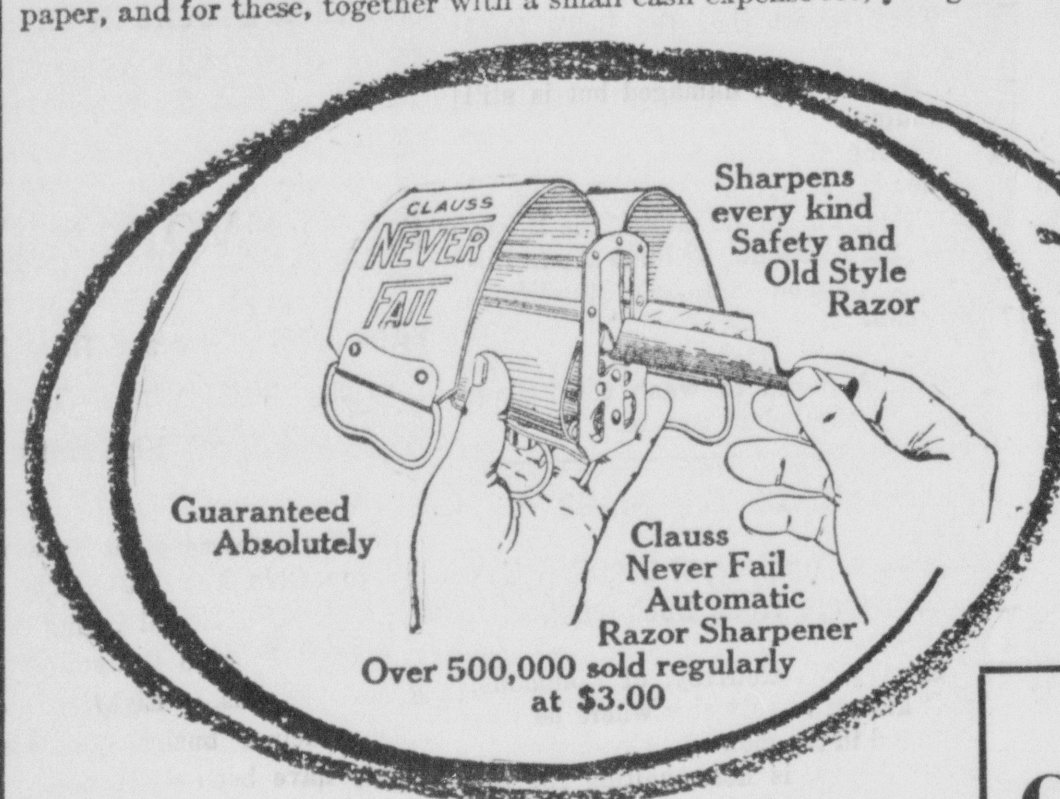
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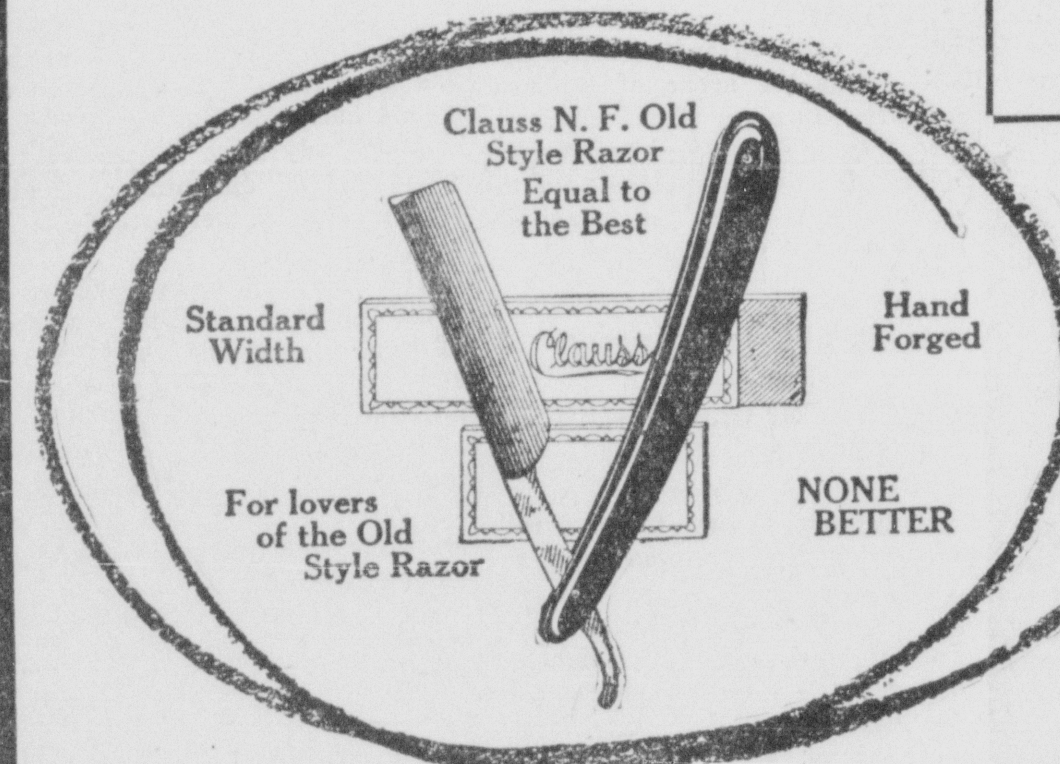
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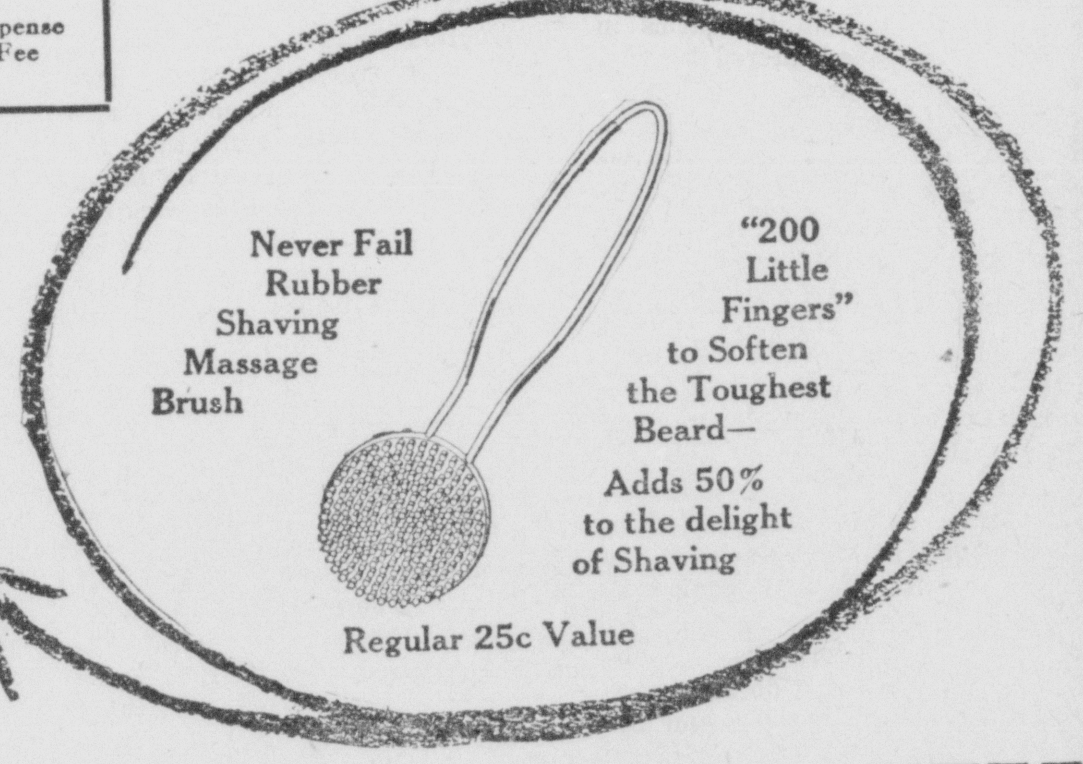
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TARIFF IS DISCUSSED

President Wilson and Leader Underwood Hold Conference.

Washington, March 27.—President Wilson and Chairman Underwood, of the Ways and Means Committee, have gone over together the new tariff schedules which have been written by the Democratic members of the committee. The conference was of great importance, due to the fact that the committee will meet today after a week's rest, during which Mr. Wilson has been studying the Underwood rates. At this meeting Mr. Underwood will tell his associates the views of the President on the bill they have written.

The President has been studying the tariff since his return from Bermuda. He is trying to grasp the theory and technical details. The chairman of the Ways and Means Committee explained from experience why the rates were fixed at this and that figure in the Payne law and why they have been changed by the Democratic tariff makers.

What was said by the President to Mr. Underwood respecting the difference of opinion in the committee between the men who want to extend the free list to include all agricultural products and many manufactured articles of common use, and the majority who have prevented this action could not be learned, but the impression prevailed that the President desires to have the duties taken off some of the agricultural products, which have been kept on the dutiable list through trades in the committee.

It became known that a duty of 20 cents a bushel on onions has been

voted, which is about 50 per cent. of the present rate. Cabbage are to pay 15 per cent. ad valorem in the new bill, which is a slight reduction. If any of these and the other products of the farm, such as corn, wheat, barley, cattle, hogs and sheep, are to be free listed at the suggestion of the President, it is likely that it will be done this week, after Mr. Underwood learns the President's wishes in the matter.

It can be stated on high authority that the President has no intention of placing a rubber stamp "O. K." on the Underwood schedules, and making the tariff an administration measure in the sense that the Democrats of the House and Senate will be expected to swallow the whole dose without change.

Mr. Wilson is listening to Mr. Underwood's explanation of the complicated situation in the House and advising changes here and there where it seems to him they should be and can be made. If a fairly satisfactory bill is finally agreed upon, the President will do his best to make its way smooth in the House. He is expected to make personal appeals to any Democrats who show signs of jumping over the traces. The President will assume the same attitude when the bill goes to the Senate. He will consider changes proposed by that body and get as nearly as possible what he thinks is right.

Senators and Representatives who are close to the President say that he will be too wise to approve finally any rates in advance of the time when the bill, as agreed to in the conference between the House and Senate, comes to him for signature.

The President discussed the tariff with Senators Gore of Oklahoma, and

Hughes, of New Jersey, both of whom favor the schedule-by-schedule process.

MEXICAN REBELS RETREAT

Two Hundred and Fifty Killed in Battle at Naco.

Naco, Ariz., March 27.—During the night 300 state troops under Col. Bracamonte, left to guard Naco departed from Cananea upon hearing of the failure of the Constitutionalists to take the inland town yesterday. This was believed to indicate that Gen. Ojeda with his 350 Federalists would follow, either to cut off the state troops re-inforcements, or directly assist Col. Moreno, who has resisted the first day's attack.

The most serious complication feared at Cananea was the position of hundreds of Mexicans made idle by the shutting down of the big smelting and mining plants. While these appeared to take no active part in yesterday's battle, some disturbance occurred. An attempt to dynamite buildings of the Copper Company was prevented by prompt action of Col. Alvaredo, of the State troops, who held part of the outlying districts.

Major Reed, U. S. A., arrived here today from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, to take command of the Ninth United States Cavalry patrol. There are eight troops of the Ninth on duty east and west of this point.

Careful estimates made early today show that the dead during yesterday's battle will aggregate nearly 100 on both sides. The division is not certain as many of the slain have not been identified as State or Federal soldiers. The wounded will number fully 100 on each side.

DEMOCRATS SEEKING JOBS

One Out of Every 47 Who Voted for Wilson Wants a Place.

Washington, March 25.—When Federal statisticians finished figuring today they discovered that just one out of every forty-seven men who voted for Woodrow Wilson for President was a candidate for a Federal position. They also deduced the fact that there will be an army of heart-sick and disappointed office-seekers numbering upward of 121,000, for there are 10,384 jobs to be filled and 131,530 patriots who have signified their willingness to aid the government.

The question of patronage is giving President Wilson and members of his cabinet some uneasy hours. Every effort is being made to share the feelings of those whose applications must be turned down, while at the same time the available and fit men for the various places are being sought. The task of singling out the proper material without causing offense to those whose ambitions necessarily must be wrecked in the process has proved to be a delicate task.

While Postmaster General Burleson has the distribution of a greater number of "plums" than any other member of the cabinet, he is in a happy position as compared with Secretary Wilson of the new Department of Labor.

Mr. Wilson must organize his entire department and, although he has at his disposal only twelve positions, he has more than 5,000 applications on file.

A "Want Ad." in the Republican is a "Want Ad." in the Home.

BLAZED TRAIL IN CITY

Aged Lumberman Marked Buildings So He Could Find Way to Station.

Milwaukee, March 27.—A Milwaukee patrolman saw an old man dressed in the garb of the northern woods halt at a downtown corner and mark with red chalk on a store building.

"Move on, you, we don't stand for tramps in Milwaukee," admonished the bluecoat.

Thus Paddy Hynes, lumberman, northern guide and blazer of a thousand trails, had his first experience with a city policeman and came off second best.

Paddy Hynes was marking up the building with varicolored chalk. He was, to use his own words, "just blazing a trail through the town so I can get back to the station when I get ready to go home."

According to friends who found the old guide, still chalk blazing his way near Wauwatosa, this is the lumberman's first sally from the north woods, and the trip to Milwaukee was "the first ever undertaken without a 'cruising ax' as a part of the traveling kit.

Notice to L. O. O. M.

The Seymour lodge will hold a memorial service at their hall on March 30th. The general public is invited to meet with us on this occasion.

All members are requested to meet on Thursday night to make all necessary arrangements for this service and to transact other business of importance.

W. C. DAILEY, Secretary.
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Partial List of the Fine Farms and Unimproved Land Offered For Sale

F-26. FINE IMPROVED HALF SECTION

320 Acres, 4 miles from Benkelman, in splendid neighborhood. Has 5-room frame house, big new barn; well, windmill and tank; orchard fenced in with woven wire; fenced and cross fenced. All but sixty acres lays fine. Well located on main road, rural mail delivery and telephone line, and is close to school. Price only \$60 per acre. Good terms.

F-34. PARTLY IMPROVED HALF SECTION.

320 Acres, 7½ miles from Benkelman. One quarter is very fine, smooth, strong land. The other quarter is rolling and only suitable for pasture. The improvements consist of a small frame house, stable and some fencing, probably worth \$600. This is a good deal at the price, and will make the buyer money. Price \$30 per acre.

F-21. WELL IMPROVED QUARTER SECTION.

160 Acres, 6 miles from Benkelman, on main traveled road, rural mail delivery and telephone line. Located in a well settled neighborhood, and lays smooth, every foot of which is good, tillable land. 120 acres under cultivation. This farm is all fenced and cross fenced and has a good frame house 24x32 in good condition. Barn, well, windmill and tank. Good road to town. At the price quoted, it is a bargain and will make the buyer money. Price \$50 per acre.

F-22. FINE IMPROVED HALF SECTION

320 Acres, 7 miles from Benkelman. Has big two story frame house, costing \$1,500. Barn, well, windmill, tank, etc. Small orchard. 200 acres of this farm is under cultivation. Buildings occupy a slightly location and is located in a good, prosperous neighborhood. The owner of this farm is now old and wishes to retire and go back to Germany to live. Price only \$45 per acre.

F-28. ANOTHER GOOD HALF SECTION.

320 Acres, 15 miles from town, located in good neighborhood. No improvements, but a very good piece of land. Nearly all can be farmed. Price \$20 per acre.

F-15. SPLENDID UNIMPROVED QUARTER SECTION.

160 Acres, 2½ miles from Max, Nebraska, the first town east of Benkelman. 125 acres fine farming land, but not broken. Balance suitable for pasture. Located in good neighborhood, and the town of Max is in plain sight from this land. 640 acres adjoining this is held at \$35 per acre. Price of this land is only \$30 per acre on fair terms.

F-17. GOOD EIGHTY. MAKE A NICE DAIRY FARM.

80 Acres, 6 miles from Benkelman. One half of which is fine smooth strong land. Good heavy loam. Balance only suitable for pasture as it is rolling. Land is well located and commands a beautiful view of the Republican River Valley. Price \$30 per acre cash.

F-20. DANDY 400 ACRE RANCH PROPOSITION.

400 Acres, situated 4 miles from Parks, Neb., the first town west of Benkelman. Lays somewhat rolling, but is good, heavy loam soil. 160 acres tillable and 60 acres broken. Fenced and has small house. Price only \$30 per acre.

F-9. A SPLENDID UNIMPROVED FORTY-ACRE TRACT.

40 Acres, situated 6 miles from Benkelman, on main road. This land is all smooth, heavy strong loam soil, but not broken. Occupies a splendid location commanding a beautiful view of the Republican River Valley. Would make a dandy dairy farm and chicken ranch. Price only \$35 per acre.

F-33. FINE 650 ACRE RANCH.

657 Acres, 14 miles from Haigler in this county, the railroad town and banking point. 125 acres under cultivation, and the balance is hay land and pasture. The improvements are new and good. House is 26x28, five rooms, barn 16x28 with mow room for 5 tons of hay, granary, chicken house, etc. Well, windmill and tank. 4 miles fencing. Combined farming and ranching is a big money-making proposition in this country and this place is a bargain at the price. \$20 per acre.

F-31. SPLENDID 800 ACRES.

800 Acres, 6 miles from Benkelman, well improved. Lays smooth and level and gently rolling. Good heavy black loam soil. This is a fine lay out and the price is very reasonable. \$40 per acre. If interested will furnish plat of this with complete description. It is a fine place.

R-2. GOOD HOMESTEAD RELINQUISHMENT.

320 Acres, 11 miles from Akron, Colo., a county seat town of 1,000 people, on main line of the Burlington Railway and only three miles from Xenia siding. This is a good piece of land and when proved up on, should be worth close to \$5,000. There is a small house on the place. Under the new law, only three years is required to prove up, and 5 months' absence is allowed each year. Price \$1,500 cash.

F-19. IMPROVED HALF SECTION.

This 320 Acre farm is situated 4 miles from Max, the first town east of Benkelman. Improvements are just fair. One half of this farm lays as level as the floor and is a good heavy black loam soil. The balance lays somewhat rolling but not rough. Is excellent pasture land. This farm is well located on main traveled road and telephone line, and is surrounded by good farms. Price \$30 per acre.

F-14. FINE QUARTER OF IRRIGATED BOTTOM LAND.

160 Acres, 3 miles from Benkelman on main road. This is all first class bottom land on the second bench above the river and is above overflow. 50 acres broken. Balance in hay meadow and pasture. All but 30 acres of this land can be irrigated and ditch runs through the land with water rights. This land is well adapted for alfalfa, fruit, sugar beets, potatoes, truck or general farming and stock-raising. It is the only first-class piece of bottom land with ditch in the valley to be had at a reasonable price. Some land here not as good and without water rights has sold for \$100 per acre. Irrigation is not necessary in this country for general farming, but is valuable adjunct in starting alfalfa and in growing sugar beets. Price \$75, with water rights.

F-11. A WELL IMPROVED 40-ACRE FARM.

This 40 is situated 8 miles from Benkelman on main road, rural mail delivery and telephone line. Practically all under cultivation. Has a good house 16x24, well, windmill, tank, etc. Land is all under fence. Other land can be rented for additional farming on share rent if desired. Well located. Price \$50 per acre.

F-27. 320 ACRES 6 MILES FROM TOWN.

320 Acres, 6 miles from Benkelman. Unimproved. Soil is good but lays somewhat rolling, but all can be farmed. Located in good neighborhood and the town of Benkelman is in plain sight. Price only \$25 per acre.

F-30. 160 ACRES 12 MILES FROM BENKELMAN.

160 Acres, 12 miles from Benkelman, one half of which is in good farming land. Balance good pasture. No improvements. In good neighborhood. Price \$20 per acre.

F-18. DANDY IMPROVED QUARTER SECTION.

160 Acre farm, 6 miles from Benkelman. Located in a good neighborhood, on rural mail route, telephone line, etc. Has a good house, built cottage style, 24x24; good barn with mow room and some other improvements. 100 acres under cultivation. Soil is a good heavy strong loam and lays fine. All can be farmed if broken out. Price \$45 per acre.

F-36. TWO GOOD 40 ACRE TRACTS.

These 40's are located 11 miles from Benkelman, in a good neighborhood. Good road to town. None broken and no improvements. Price \$25 per acre for one or both.

Hotel bills and railroad fares both ways paid to buyers.

If you see nothing on this list to suit, advise me what you would like to get and the price you wish to pay, and I will submit others.

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Stranded

By VERNON ARNOLD

Ned Franklin was the son of a man who had graduated as a plainsman, drifted east and made money. Ned went west to see what his father had seen. He had been gone just two weeks when his father received the following telegram from him:

Stranded. Telegraph money for return. When he got home he told them of his week's adventures in the land of the spurs, the revolver and the rifle. It was as follows:

He found Denver, which his father had known as a small town, a large city and pushed on westward. When he came to the end of the rails he took coaches. He was now in the land where travelers talked about road agents, where those in the towns spoke incidentally of the last gun fight, or how much money had been won or lost by some prominent citizen at faro. Ned, who believed the only way to learn the manners and customs of a people was to make their acquaintance, told everybody that he had come out to see the country and meant to see it thoroughly. He had no stuck up notions about him; not he. He felt as much at home with a stage driver as he would with the veriest dandy at home. The consequence of this behavior was that he made friends in short order.

One evening at the Antelope—a tavern, gin mill and gambling house combined—it was suggested by a man who was showing Ned the town, that he invest a few dollars at faro. Just to see how it worked. Ned looked at his friend, smiled, slapped him on the back, winked and said:

"Not much. I'm a young man from the city, and you can't come faro on me."

"You're dead right, pard," said the other, "but what I meant was to invest \$2 to see the game, just as you'd spend the same for a round of drinks."

The man left Ned, but after awhile returned and asked if he proposed to go west in the stage the next morning. Ned said he did; whereupon his friend asked if he would mind taking charge of a young lady. Ned remarked that he would be only too happy to do so. He was seeing a good deal of the men of the country, but had thus far met few of the women. He was assured that the young lady, Miss Iyer, was the daughter of a wealthy ranchman, and had been to Denver on a shopping tour and was returning to her home. This pleased Ned very much, and he anticipated a bit of a flirtation with Miss Iyer. How it would surprise his father if he should marry a ranchman's daughter and turn ranchman himself.

Ned was introduced to Miss Iyer at the coach door by the man who had asked him to escort her and was somewhat disappointed in her. Her walk was awkward, and her voice was not refined. However, she was a woman of the country, and he was curious to learn all about her. He asked her if she wouldn't like to sit outside, but she declined on the ground that the sun freckled her, so they entered the coach, Ned taking a seat beside her.

The young woman was disposed to be quiet and uncommunicative during the early part of the journey, but as one by one the passengers left the coach, none others taking their places, she thawed and took pleasure in giving her escort information about the country, occasionally pointing out objects of interest. Ned, warming up, began to pay her compliments as he had been used to paying them to girls at home, but she was not used to them, or did not seem to know how to take them; but she evidently was trying to make it appear that she had been paid compliments before.

She told Ned that she expected her father to meet her at the junction of the stage road and another leading to the ranch. When the coach reached the junction Ned expected to see a four mule team and a four seated country wagon. But he saw nothing. Neither did the young lady. She looked very much troubled. Ned asked her what she would do. She said she supposed she would have to wait. For a young woman to wait at a crossroads with no house within miles seemed to Ned little short of madness. The stagecoach must go on, and Ned tried to persuade his fair charge to go on too. But she said her papa would be awfully worried when he arrived and did not find her.

There was nothing for Ned to do, especially since she had been placed in his charge, but to remain with her. She declined to permit him to make the sacrifice unless he would promise to spend his time till the coach passed the next day at her father's ranch. Indeed, she declared that papa would not hear of his doing anything else.

So they alighted, and the coach went on. As soon as it turned a bend in the road and was out of sight Miss Iyer took a revolver out of a pocket in her dress and, covering Ned, said:

"Young fellow, if you've got any valuables in your clothes shell 'em out."

When Ned recovered from his surprise he accepted the situation. The lady threw off her feminine apparel and stood before him a man with his trousers in his boots. He took \$800 Ned handed him and said:

"Now, you galoot, move on."

Ned walked back ten miles to a relay, where the driver of the returning coach took him aboard and carried him to a telegraph station.

Stubborn Case

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CURRENCY REFORM URGED

Experts Desire Fiscal Legislation at Special Session of Congress.

Washington, March 27.—Currency experts are urging President Wilson to insist on fiscal legislation in the extra session. Not only is President Wilson impressed with this view of the situation, but he is suspected of cherishing a strong sympathy for the opinion that currency legislation is much more important to the welfare of the country than tariff revision; that, in fact, the interest of the country in the former is vital and in the latter only academic, except in certain directions where the rates may be so lowered as to affect certain distinct lines of business, notably textiles.

In Wilson's repudiation of the Knox policy with regard to the proposed six-power loan of \$125,000,000 to China, he said: "The present administration will urge and support the legislative measures necessary to give American merchants, manufacturers, contractors and engineers, the banking and other financial facilities which they now lack and without which they are at a serious disadvantage as compared with their industrial and commercial rivals."

This statement can only mean that the forthcoming Glass currency bill (the administration bill) will contain a section establishing a foreign banking department. Under the plan referred to, any five or more persons could form a banking corporation to do business in any foreign country with a home office in the United States, at which the annual meeting must be held. This bill would provide for a capital fully paid in of not less than \$2,000,000, with the power to increase, for a charter running twenty years and that a majority of the shares should be owned by and a majority of the directors composed of citizens of the United States. Corporations thus formed would be forbidden to receive deposits in the United States and to transact any domestic business not necessarily related to the business being done abroad.

The bill would also grant the authority to make acceptances, to buy and sell bills of exchange or other commercial paper relating to foreign business and to buy and sell securities, including securities of the United States or any state.

Thus a group of men interested in foreign trade might organize under federal charter a bank of the character described and from an office in New York or Chicago or elsewhere establish and direct foreign branches in any country where American interests might require a banking service. These foreign branches would have the privilege of acting as fiscal agent of the United States government when requested to do so.

This plan is a thing wholly apart from the proposed national reserve association, and could, it is pointed out, be instituted substantially as it stands in the monetary commission bill, whether other features of that measure were adopted or not. Banks thus organized would have a power not now possessed of national banks.

of making acceptances and buying and selling commercial paper—a general power power of commercial rediscount, and, obviously, say the experts, a foreign banking business could not be conducted unless this power were an essential feature of the system.

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TAPPED THE WIRES.

The Good Housewife Had a Pretty Keen Nose For News.

People who would normally think it a disgrace to eavesdrop or spy on their neighbors seem utterly without conscience when the telephone is in question and will rush to the instrument every time the bells ring, whether it is their call or not.

As an evidence of the extreme to which it can be carried I well remember a case where for some unknown reason the bells beyond one of the stations seemed in constant trouble. One time they would operate perfectly, five minutes later they would ring so faintly that it was hard to distinguish the call. The manager was on the verge of prostration, as he had gone over the line a dozen times, trimmed every tree that could possibly have been in the way, adjusted bells—in fact, done everything he could think of.

In despair he came to me and told me his troubles. I suggested that we drive out to the last "good" station and, to his surprise, asked him if he dared walk in without rapping. He said he could, and the two of us entered very unexpectedly, the telephone being in the kitchen at the back of the house.

The picture we found was, to say the least, amusing. The good housewife in her craze not to miss anything had actually rigged up a clamp to hold the receiver on the back of a rocking chair and spent her leisure time in comfortably listening to every word that went over the line. She had even gone so far as to devise a method of opening the primary circuit on her own instrument so that the batteries would not run down.

This is an extreme case, but shows how far some folks can go. The remedy: Just plain common decency and honesty, a bylaw authorizing the manager to take out any telephone whose user is guilty of such dishonesty and a manager with backbone enough to do his duty.—Farm and Fireside.

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THE FLOODS.

The entire country is appalled by the reports of the great loss of life and general destruction of property caused by the dreadful floods in the central states. In many places the high water broke all former records and probably never before did the rivers and streams in the Ohio Valley rise as rapidly as in the present deluge.

The people living along the rivers and in the lower sections of the cities little expected such a flood and were consequently not prepared for its arrival. In the cities which are protected by levees, warning could not be given those living near the embankments in sufficient time for them to move to places of safety. The breaks came on short notice, many of them in the stillness of the night, and the victims were caught without means of escape. Scores were drowned before the alarm could be sounded and assistance given them.

It is in such times as these that the value and need of real charity is most keenly felt. The sufferers, many of them homeless, must be provided for, and if the cities in which they live cannot do so the state of Indiana must rise to the occasion supplying that which is needed. From the meager reports that have already been received the suffering is great and wide-spread and requests for provisions and clothing have been filed with Governor Ralston by a number of cities.

Much concern is felt by persons who have relatives and friends in other cities where large death tolls have been reported. As all forms of communication are cut off, definite information is impossible at this time and this increases the anxiety and suspense.

The conditions in Seymour and Jackson county are bad, but according to the reports, we have not suffered like some other communities. Fortunately Seymour is located much higher than the river and the danger is correspondingly less than in those cities along the river's edge. Seymour is one of the few cities in Indiana today having water and light service continuously during the storm and we have the assurance that unless further damage is done by a second rise that service will be maintained. Telephone service has also been given in the city without interruption.

Thus far during the flood period the city has been without a fire. This is, doubtless, due to a large extent to the caution exercised by the citizens who readily recognize the great danger of a disastrous fire. Diligence and care should be exercised in every home and business house to prevent fires as the water is being supplied under very trying circumstances and a disastrous fire might result if even a small fire should start.

No deaths have been reported in this county. Several men who were working on the river have failed to return home when expected, but it is altogether probable that they have been carried down stream in their boats and have landed at such places that they are unable to return until the water recedes. We sincerely trust that this flood will not claim a single life. Those living in the county who have experienced loss of property have the sympathy of the community.

The work of the flood shows us that we are dependent and interested in other parts of the country. With the wires down and the train service discontinued reports of the flood are received only from the newspapers, which are able to get the dispatches after they have been relayed hundreds of miles at a great expense. Every line of outside news is awaited with interest, proving that the people are desirous of hearing from other parts of the country, even from those places where they have neither relatives nor acquaintances.

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CIRCUIT COURT NEWS

Case of State Against Joseph Dale is Dismissed.

The case of the state of Indiana against Joseph Dale has been dismissed in the circuit court. The defendant was charged with criminal assault. He lives at Mitchell. The prosecuting witness failed to appear at the trial.

Other cases decided are as follows: Harry Shields vs. Fannie Shields; divorce granted plaintiff and name of Fannie Vance restored to defendant. Bertha Davis vs. James H. Davis; divorce granted plaintiff upon payment of costs and custody of child given plaintiff.

Sanford Smith vs. Alice Smith; divorce granted plaintiff upon payment of costs.

Wm. Empson vs. Jordon M. Payne, on note; dismissed and costs paid. George Klaus vs. Willia Klaus; divorce granted plaintiff.

State, ex rel, William Dickmeyer, vs. Advisory Board of Driftwood township, mandate; judgment for defendant. This case was tried at the December term of court and taken under advisement. It grew out of the controversy over building new school buildings in Driftwood township.

William Laraway, et al, ex parte petition for drain; petitioners asked for and were granted an extension of time to May 6th to make report.

State vs. Jesse Baker, petit larceny for stealing an opossum hide; defendant plead guilty and was sentenced from one to eight years at the state prison at Michigan City; sentence suspended during good behavior.

Mary A. Schulte vs. Laura Schulte, et al, partition; finding in favor of plaintiff for a lien of \$705.15.

The following new cases have been filed:

Albert H. Ahlbrand vs. Albert Rover, et al; to quiet title.

Allison S. Shields vs. William Shields; for possession of real estate.

REWARD EXTENDED

For Recovery of the Remains of Tilden Smith.

In the hope that the remains of Tilden Smith, who was drowned in White river March 17th, will yet be recovered, his relatives have decided to continue their offer of \$500, for another thirty days from this date, to the person or persons, finding the body and delivering same to Vallonia.

The expert divers, who were employed to search for the body, were released from their contract last Wednesday, as their efforts seemed in vain. However, there is constantly some one along the river watching for the bodies to rise and float and a motor boat is kept in the vicinity all the time.

It is the opinion of some that the recent raise of the river will be favorable to causing the bodies to come to the surface, as there is always more or less disturbance and changes in currents and drifts when the river is swollen which might loosen the bodies if they are fastened somewhere and as the river falls they may be found on some of the higher ground or islands that have been overflowed.

SOME FISH STORY

Frank Thomas Finds Them Around on the Ground.

Frank Thomas, who lives about three miles north of Sauers, has established a reputation as the champion fisherman in his neighborhood. He went to the river a few days ago and caught a fine fish without hook or line—simply picked it up on dry land with his hands. But where it came from remains a mystery.

Mr. Thomas found a fish near a pond on his place, but it was lying about four feet out on the bank. But the strangest part of it is that he found some of the fish scales on some willow bushes and on top of a rail fence, near where it was lying, indicating that it had fallen through the air. He says there are no fish in the pond except possibly a few small cat-fish, while the one he found was a buffalo or red horse and weighed five and a half pounds. It was still alive when he found it.

The only way he can explain its presence is that it must have fallen from the clouds or was carried there during the heavy wind and rain storm Sunday night. The nearest stream where any fish are to be found in his locality is five miles from his farm.

Marriage License.

Jonas D. Harlow, of Jackson township, to Clara M. Buhner, of Washington township.

Verna Deputy, of Jennings county, to Edna L. Adam, of Seymour.

Affidavits of Mortgage Exemptions. See H. A. Hodapp. Office over the Bee Hive. m12d&wtf

Caladium, Double Dahlia, Tuberoses, Canna Bulbs at the Bee Hive. m27-d-tf

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SOMETHING ABOUT THE PROGRESS OF THE PRESS.

BY JOHN P. FALLON.

"You cannot see the forest for the trees," said a historian, "nor history in the making for being so close to the event."

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Heavy Punishment Given For Attempt Jail Delivery.

As a result of the attempt to break jail a few weeks ago a charge of "attempting to break jail" was filed against Clark Cockerham. He was tried and found guilty in the circuit court, and was fined \$50 to which was added a three months' jail sentence. To lay out the fine and sentence will amount to almost five months in jail.

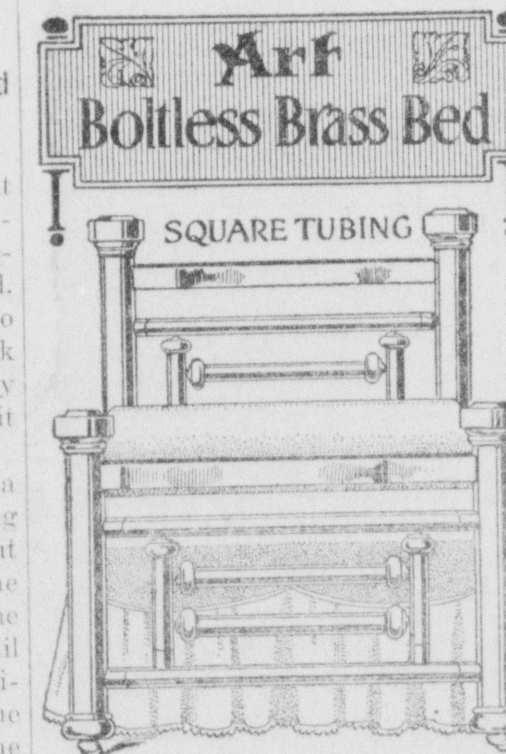
At the time the attempt was made to break jail Cockerham was laying out a fine and costs for assault and battery, amounting to about twenty-five days in jail, and had served about half that time when the jail delivery was made.

It is certainly strange that any prisoner with only a short time to serve would attempt to break jail, knowing that if detected, additional charges can be filed against him that will keep him there much longer than for the original offense.

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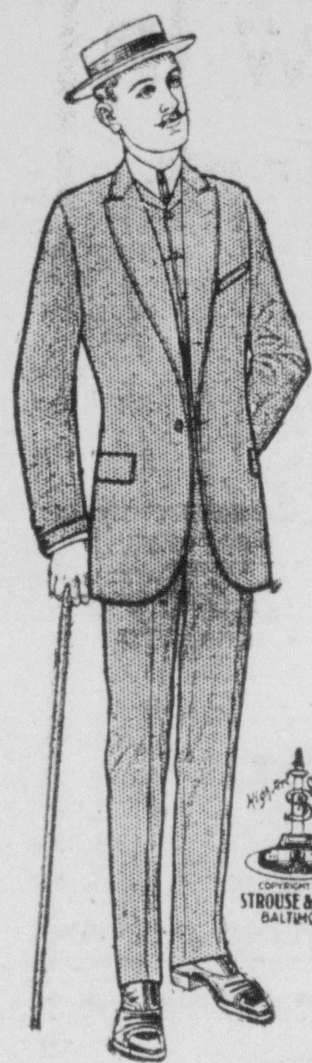
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PERSONAL.

Noble Hays went to Brownstown this morning on business.

Mrs. C. E. Morton went to North Vernon last evening and returned this morning.

Miss Mildred Findley, who has been visiting her father, Harry Findley, went to Brownstown this morning to visit her grandmother.

Charles Rottman, a student at Indiana University, is spending his spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rottman.

Dr. and Mrs. G. G. Graessle arrived home this morning from a visit in Nashville, Tenn. They were delayed in Scottsburg on their return on account of the high waters.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gallemore went to Lawrenceburg Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Gallemore has considerable property in Lawrenceburg that was in danger of the high water.

E. E. Perry of Medora was here this morning trying to get home from a business trip in Kentucky. He had heard of the rumor of the fire at Medora and was anxious about the safety of his family.

Mrs. C. H. Williams arrived home this morning from an extended visit in Memphis, Tenn., where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. A. St. John. She has been several days trying to get from Louisville. She got in North Vernon Wednesday over the B. & O. Branch and on home this morning.

Mrs. Emma Walker and daughter, Miss Tillie, of Washington, were among the travelers left here Wednesday on account of the high water and were guests over night of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Conley. Miss Walker is a trained nurse and they were enroute to their home from Cincinnati, where another daughter is in school, training for a nurse.

A ROYAL INSULT.

Lord Brougham Bided His Time and Repaid George IV.

With all of his knowledge and talent Lord Brougham was eccentric and slovenly in his personal habits. While he was a young and comparatively unknown barrister he was asked to a dinner at which the prince regent presided. Mr. Brougham's hands needed washing. The regent's keen eyes rested on them. He beckoned to a waiter and gave him an order which the man heard with a scared face, and then going out he speedily returned with a ewer full of water, soap and a towel.

He carried them to Brougham, presenting them with the prince regent's compliments. The barrister instantly withdrew and never afterward referred to the insult.

Years later, when the prince, now king, tried to divorce his wife, Brougham as her defender so vehemently sustained her cause that she triumphed. The king's name was not mentioned during the trial, though the nation knew that he was secretly the prosecutor. Brougham in his speech declared that he saw in the distance the nameless persecutor of his innocent client, quoting with terrific effect Milton's words:

The other shape.
If shape it might be called, ••• black it stood as night,
Fierce as ten furies, terrible as hell,
And shook a dreadful dart; what seem'd his head
The likeness of a kingly crown had on.

George IV. felt seriously this savage attack. The nation sided with the queen, and her defender had paid his debt with interest.

Correcting a Quotation.

In his book, "A Wanderer In Florence," E. V. Lucas furnishes a new reading for that quotation about the leaves on the brooks of Vallombrosa, though he credits it to a cousin across the pond. Mr. Lucas visited Vallombrosa and, describing the extortionate rates of the hotels there, tells the story: A departing American was eyeing his bill with a rueful glance as we were leaving. "Milton had it wrong," he said to me, with the freemasonry of the plucked, for I knew him not. "What he meant was 'thick as thieves.'"

It Did, It Did!

There was a time, years ago, when school authorities were not afraid to be grimly humorous.

Under the head of "Instruction" the New York Daily Times of Aug. 10, 1868, printed this announcement:

FLUSHING INSTITUTE.
Dear Boys—Trouble begins Sept. 15.
E. A. FAIRCHILD.

A Rude Little Girl.

Maiden Aunt (reading)—In heaven there is no marrying or giving in marriage. Small Mazie—It must seem like heaven to you here on earth, doesn't it, auntie?—Chicago News.

Recollection.

"Say, Karl, what do you think of our new papa?"
"Haven't we had him once before?"—Fliegende Blatter.

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Every three months the earnings of the association are apportioned to the stockholders in proportion to the number of shares carried and the length of time the stock has been running. This new series "E" starting Monday gives every citizen of Seymour an opportunity to begin regular, systematic saving and at the same time have their money earning them interest from the time it is invested.

These savings accumulate in a few years to quite an appreciable sum ready for use in many ways, in buying a home, in investing in business, in a surplus fund for a rainy day and in a number of ways which develop for using ready money.

The man who has a little ready money at his command is to that extent independent. He is ready to take advantage of a business opportunity when it presents itself.

See the secretary, Thomas J. Clark, Opera House Block, and arrange for as many shares as you wish to carry. Begin now with the new series which starts Monday, April 7th.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour, Indiana, and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES.

Mrs. Margaret Burroughs.
Mrs. Hattie Hudson.

MEN

Edward Brown.
James W. Day.
John Gamble.
G. M. Harrison.
Glen Harrison.
Mr. Charley Weaver.
Mr. C. H. Whitehouse.
March 24, 1913.

EDWARD A. REMY, P. M.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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The label upon baking powders must show the ingredients.

READ THE LABEL

FIERCE FIRE RAGING AT DAYTON, O. ADDS HORROR TO FLOOD SITUATION

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yesterday was not nearly so serious as first reported. That part of the city is flooded but no loss of life is reported in that vicinity today. There are several drownings in West Indianapolis, but not from the levee breaking and nothing like the number reported yesterday.

The Washington street cement bridge is washed out and the Vandalia Railroad bridge went out today.

Public utilities service is in better condition. Gas and electric service have again started but there is no street car service nor water today. Drinking water is being sold and one person paid a dollar for five gallons today. Governor Ralston has accepted federal aid for the flood sufferers throughout Indiana and this will be handled through the Red Cross organization. Colorado Springs Commercial Club has sent a telegram to Governor Ralston offering aid if needed for the flood sufferers in the state.

At Newcastle the damage is estimated at \$15,000. One life was sacrificed as a result of the storm. John Hagner, bridge carpenter employed by the Union Traction Company, plunged into the swollen stream from the bridge he was guarding and was drowned. Blue River Valley is flooded.

At Marion the breaking of the Mississippi River levee forced 500 persons to flee from their homes, while at Elwood the Duckcreek levee broke, flooding the homes of 300 persons. In Indianapolis the breaking of the White River levee at Sixth-fourth street flooded many homes.

Thousands of acres of land throughout Indiana are under water and persons living in the lowlands in every section of the state have been forced to desert their homes. At Kokomo the state militia, acting under orders from Governor Ralston, is patrolling the submerged sections in boats to prevent looting and to aid in rescuing persons trapped in their homes by the advancing waters of Wild Cat Creek.

Fire at Columbus, O.

(Special to Seymour Republican)
Columbus, O., Mar. 27.—Governor Cox received the following message from John A. Bell, Chief Operator of

the Bell Telephone Exchange in Dayton: "The Russell apartments, on West Third street and Boulevard, are on fire, and people are jumping into the water."

"The rear end of the Steele House School caved in. Bauman's bakery burned down."

"About 200 people are dead in Riverdale and North Dayton."

"The loss of life is now growing and may reach 1000. The first trainload of supplies has arrived from Springfield."

"Supplies are in from Brookville for those in Riverdale and by way of Eaton for those on the west side."

Water Receding at Columbus.

(Special to Seymour Republican)
Columbus, Ind., March 27.—The water is receding here, having fallen about eight feet in the last forty-eight hours. The Pennsylvania Railroad ran a train from Indianapolis to Franklin today and the officials hope to have a train to Columbus sometime tomorrow.

The Pennsylvania track has been washed out south of the city, the water has reached Fourteenth street and in many places citizens could only reach their homes in boats.

Suffering at Peru.

(Special to Seymour Republican)
Peru, Ind., March 27.—Conditions in this city are distressing. To add to the calamitous situation measles and other contagious diseases have broken out. A relief train from Ft. Wayne was sent as far as possible and provisions were then brought to the citizens in boats. Great numbers of people are homeless.

Break at Bellefontaine.

(Special to Seymour Republican)
Cincinnati, O., March 27.—It is reported that a levee has broken at Bellefontaine, O. causing great destruction of property.

Leland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will O. Carter, is sick at his home on West Fourth street, with the measles.

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EGGS FOR HATCHING—Single Comb Rhode Island Red Eggs for hatching 50 cents per setting, pure bred. Mrs. C. W. Able, Brownstown road. Phone 533. m27d

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HARD FIGHT WITH SWIFT CURRENT

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the strong current. Finally they succeeded in reaching the home of Mr. Pottschmidt where they spent the night.

Early this morning they started back and because of the swift current were compelled to keep in the back waters and rowed their boat almost to Peter's Switch and then back to Rockford.

J. B. Thompson and his son, Holmes, who were not heard from since Tuesday morning, are also safe. They went in a boat to a farm four miles from Rockford to look after some cattle and were unable to return. Mr. Thompson returned Wednesday afternoon accompanied by an employee. They brought the cattle to high ground, and in many places the stock had to swim through the water. Mr. Thompson went back this morning after his son.

ALL RECORDS BROKEN

Tornado Insurance Companies Lose Heavily By Storms.

Chicago, March 27.—The enormous damage caused by tornadoes in Nebraska, Iowa and Indiana, brought out the statement from insurance companies that losses thus far this year on tornado insurance break all records, while fire losses are smaller than usual.

Tornadoes generally do not come so early in the year. Insurance companies say that the storms in the South last week were unusually destructive and that the Nebraska storm will pile up the losses. Figures on the policies affected by the Omaha storm are not yet available, but it is said that many buildings destroyed were protected by tornado insurance. One Eastern company collected \$134,012 in premiums on such policies in Nebraska alone in 1912.

William Lafkin Dead.

William Lafkin died at an early hour this morning at his home in Rockford, following an illness of tuberculosis for over a year. He was born in Rockford Aug. 9, 1850 and has spent most of his life in Jackson county. He was an honest citizen and always worked for the good of the community. Three sons and one daughter survive. They are J. E., Fred C. and William Lafkin, Jr. and Mrs. Mary Persinger all living in this county. The funeral services will be held from the church at Rockford Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Elder G. M. Shatts. Burial at Riverview cemetery.

Affidavits of Mortgage Exemptions. See H. A. Hodapp. Office over the Bee' Hive. m6d&wtf

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phone. It will be days before traffic is restored on this road.

The situation on the B. & O. S-W. is very bad. The high embankments near Sparksville have been damaged and it will take tons and tons of dirt to make the fills. This road is running a train to Aurora each morning as No. 8 returning to Seymour in the afternoon as No. 7. It is said that traffic west of Vincennes will not be restored for more than a week because of the washouts and land slides. Passengers to Vincennes may reach that city by going to Louisville and being detoured over other roads.

An I. & L. traction car reached this city from the south about noon today. This car returned to Jeffersonville, having orders to run slowly. The road bed is soft, but the water is gradually receding, and is over the track in only a few places. Should this car be successful in reaching Louisville it will be the first traction car to make a complete run since the flood.

At the Medora bridge four spans and two piers have been swept away. Both approaches to the Vallonia bridge are gone. Many cattle and horses are floating down the river.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

A son was born March 26 to Mr. and Mrs. John Klein, at their home on Brown street.

Mary Louise White, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth White, is quite sick with the measles.

Ed Short and Will Kaufman, concrete and brick contractors have dissolved partnership. The dissolution was made by mutual consent of the parties. They will engage in business for themselves.

Mrs. Will G. Clark was hostess to the members of the Kaffee Klatch, Wednesday afternoon at her home on East Second street. A delightful afternoon was spent together and during the afternoon a luncheon was served.

Mrs. Polly Reed received a message early Wednesday morning from Cincinnati, stating that her son was seriously ill with nervous prostration. She left here on the only train that went east yesterday, thinking that perhaps she could get on some way, but only got as far as North Vernon and was compelled to return to her home.

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EDWARD RENO. MASTER OF MAGIC.

EDWARD RENO, who is to appear here Chautauqua week, was engaged in traveling from one hamlet or camp to another during the last uprising of the Ute Indians. His outfit was carried on the back of a pack burro which was in charge of an Indian guide. Money was plentiful, and the people bestowed liberally their gold and silver in return for the entertainment. During the journey from Pleasant Valley Junction to American Forks, Reno came suddenly upon a war council of Utes. Both were taken by surprise. Knowing nothing else to do, Reno betthought himself of his magic. So without hesitation he commenced making rocks disappear and finding them in unexpected places. He swallowed knives and found them in the possession of some of the braves. He tossed eggs in the air, where they vanished, and found them in one of the brave's blankets. He did the pistol shooting trick, catching the bullet in his teeth, finishing by swallowing the pistol and finding it in the chief's moccasins. The chief was so impressed by the impromptu performance that Reno was appointed to the position of medicine man and was given a safe escort to the station.



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